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SUBJECT: NARCOTIC ADDICT TREATMENT LAWS

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JUNE 13, 1973 REQUESTING SUBJECT INFO BY SPECIAL ACTION

OFFICE FOR DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION, ATTN: CANDACE COWAN.

REQUEST BUREAU PASS TO MISS COWAN.

PARA A.

IS METHADONE OR HEROIN MAINTENANCE PERMITTED AS A
LEGITIMATE FORM OF TRATMENT FOR NARCOTIC DRUG
ADDICTION? METHADONE CAN BE USED FOR TREATMENT
FOR ADDICTION BUT HAS NEVER BEEN USED AND WILL NOT
BE USED. JAPANESE BELIEVE EMPHATICALLY IN " COLD
TURKEY". HEROIN PROHIBITED FOR TREATMENT.

PARA. B.

DO CLINICS OR PHYSICIANS TREATNARCOTIC ADDICTS BY
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SUCH MAINTENANCE? IF SO, GIVE NAMES OF DOCTORS OR DIRECTORS OF CLINICS AND THEIR ADDRESSES FOR ALL APPROVED PROGRAMS. NO CLINICS OR PHYSICIAN TREATMENT PERMITTED.

PARA. C.

MY PROGRAMS LEGALLY TREAT FOREIGN NATIONALS? N/A PROGRAMS AS STATED IN (A) AND (B) ABOVE.

PARA. D.

ARE THERE SPECIFIC LAWS OR REGULATIONS WHICH CONTROL THE USE OF METHADONE OR HEROIN IN THE TREATMENT OF NARCOTIC ADDICTION? IF SO, PLEASE SEND COPY. YES, LAWS ARE BEING FORWARDED. WHEN RECEIVED NOTE PARAGRAPH 4, PAGE 20, REGULATIONS FOR USE ARE SO STATED BUT AS STATED IN (A) ABOVE ARE NOT USED.

PARA. E.

WHAT ARE LAWS OR VISA REGULATIONS CONCERNING TRAVEL OF ALIEN NARCOTIC ADDICTS INTO COUNTRY? ARE ADDICTS FORBIDDEN ENTRY? MEDICAL ADDICTS UNDER CARE OF A PHYSICIAN ARE PERMITTED ENTRY. ADDICTS IF KNOWN ARE NOT PERMITTED ENTRY. ALSO ANYONE CONVICTED OF NARCOTIC OFFENSE NOT PERMITTED AND IF IN COUNTRY CAN BE DEPORTED. SHOESMITH

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